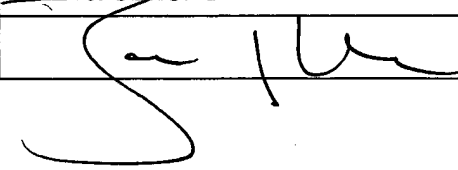


# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

<b>Attorney Docket No.</b>		HSJ9-2003-0077US1		(0107-0039)	
<b>First Inventor or Application Identifier:</b>		Fox			
<b>Title:</b>		SELF-PINNED SPIN VALVE SENSOR WITH STRESS MODIFICATION LAYERS FOR REDUCING THE LIKELIHOOD OF AMPLITUDE FLIP			
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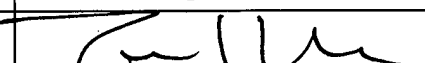
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Total Claims	37 - 20 =	17	X \$ 18.00	X \$ 9.00	\$ 306.00
Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	X \$ 86.00	X \$ 43.00	\$ 86.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)		0	\$ 290.00	\$145.00	\$ 0.00
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 1162.00

Basic Filing Fee	Large Entity	Small Entity	Total
Design filing fee	\$ 340.00	\$ 170.00	\$ 0.00
Reissue filing fee	\$ 770.00	\$ 385.00	\$ 0.00
Provisional filing fee	\$ 160.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 0.00
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### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Description	Large Entity	Small Entity	Other
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